# **Wisconsin Farmers Union**

# Legislative Bills/Resolutions

### **Assembly Bill 44**

Relating to: legislative and congressional redistricting. (FE)

# 👚 For

Original Reporting Date: 2/20/2017

Bill Text and History

### **Assembly Bill 49**

Relating to: definition of tetrahydrocannabinols and the use of cannabidiol.

# † For

Original Reporting Date: 2/15/2017

Bill Text and History

### **Assembly Bill 53**

Relating to: time periods for the abatement of late blight of potatoes.

# Other

Original Reporting Date: 2/15/2017

Bill Text and History

### **Assembly Bill 54**

Relating to: seed potato certification and use and providing penalties. (FE)

# **†** For

Original Reporting Date: 2/15/2017

Bill Text and History

## Assembly Bill 105

Relating to: replacement, reconstruction, and transfer of an approved high capacity well, recommendation of special groundwater measures by the Department of Natural Resources, and metering requirements and grants for certain high capacity wells.

## Other

Original Reporting Date: 3/23/2017

Bill Text and History

## **Assembly Bill 123**

Relating to: The information technology block grant program, the broadband expansion grant program, waiving certain fees and appraisals, and making appropriations. (FE)

# 🛖 For

Original Reporting Date: 3/21/2017

Bill Text and History

# Assembly Bill 183

Relating to: growing and processing industrial hemp, granting rule-making authority, and making an appropriation. (FE)

## 👚 For

Original Reporting Date: 4/17/2017

Bill Text and History

## **Assembly Bill 226**

Relating to: local assistance for remediating contaminated wells and failing wastewater treatment systems and award limits for contaminated well grants. (FE)

# TFor

Original Reporting Date: 5/16/2017

Bill Text and History

### **Assembly Bill 268**

Relating to: school board referendums to exceed revenue limit applicable to a school district. (FE)

# Against

Original Reporting Date: 6/15/2017

Bill Text and History

## **Assembly Bill 269**

Relating to: scheduling of school district referendums to exceed revenue limits.

# Against

Original Reporting Date: 6/15/2017

Bill Text and History

# Assembly Bill 282

Relating to: consideration of resolution to issue bond by common and union high school districts and prohibiting voting on a resolution to exceed the revenue limit of a school district at a special meeting.

# Against

Original Reporting Date: 6/15/2017

Bill Text and History

### **Assembly Bill 302**

Relating to: establishing a veteran farmer assistance and outreach program



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Bill Text and History

### **Assembly Bill 353**

Relating to: the organization and operation of cooperatives and extensions of credit by electric cooperatives.



Original Reporting Date: 6/5/2017

Bill Text and History

### **Assembly Bill 360**

Relating to: the sale of homemade baked goods and homemade canned goods.

# Other

Original Reporting Date: 6/6/2017

Bill Text and History

### **Assembly Bill 412**

Relating to: the regulation of bakeries and the sale of baked goods. (FE)

# **→** Other

Original Reporting Date: 7/3/2017

Bill Text and History

### **Assembly Joint Resolution 53**

Relating to: an advisory referendum on an amendment to the U.S. Constitution.

# ♠ For

Original Reporting Date: 7/24/2017

Bill Text and History

## Senate Bill 10

Relating to: definition of tetrahydrocannabinols and the use of cannabidiol.

## 1 For

Original Reporting Date: 2/15/2017

Bill Text and History

2017 Wisconsin Act 4

#### Senate Bill 13

Relating to: legislative and congressional redistricting. (FE)

# 👚 For

Original Reporting Date: 2/20/2017

Bill Text and History

### Senate Bill 20

Relating to: time periods for the abatement of late blight of potatoes.

## Other

Original Reporting Date: 2/15/2017

Bill Text and History

# Senate Bill 23

Relating to: seed potato certification and use and providing penalties. (FE)

## 👚 For

Original Reporting Date: 2/15/2017

Bill Text and History

## Senate Bill 49

Relating to: the information technology block grant program, the broadband expansion grant program, waiving certain fees and appraisals, and making appropriations. (FE)

## 1 For

Original Reporting Date: 2/23/2017

Bill Text and History

# Senate Bill 76

Relating to: replacement, reconstruction, and transfer of an approved high capacity well, recommendation of special groundwater measures by the Department of Natural Resources, and metering requirements and grants for certain high capacity wells.

### Other

Original Reporting Date: 3/1/2017

Bill Text and History

2017 Wisconsin Act 10

## Senate Bill 119

Relating to: growing and processing industrial hemp, granting rule-making authority, and making an appropriation. (FE)

## TFor

Original Reporting Date: 4/17/2017

Bill Text and History

### Senate Bill 168

Relating to: local assistance for remediating contaminated wells and failing wastewater treatment systems and award limits for contaminated well grants. (FE)



Original Reporting Date: 5/16/2017

Bill Text and History

### Senate Bill 191

Relating to: consideration of resolution to issue bond by common and union high school districts and prohibiting voting on a resolution to exceed the revenue limit of a school district at a special meeting.



Original Reporting Date: 6/15/2017

Bill Text and History

### Senate Bill 195

Relating to: school board referendums to exceed revenue limit applicable to a school district. (FE)



Original Reporting Date: 6/15/2017

Bill Text and History

### Senate Bill 214

Relating to: creating a program for reimbursing the higher education debt of small farm operators, creating an individual income tax deduction for certain amounts received from such a program, granting rule-making authority, making an appropriation, and pr...

# 👚 For

Original Reporting Date: 4/25/2017

Bill Text and History

## Senate Bill 224

Relating to: establishing a veteran farmer assistance and outreach program and creating a veteran farmer logotype. (FE)

# 👚 For

Original Reporting Date: 5/24/2017

Bill Text and History

### Senate Bill 271

Relating to: the sale of homemade baked goods and homemade canned

# 🕆 For

Original Reporting Date: 6/6/2017

Bill Text and History

## Senate Bill 281

Relating to: the organization and operation of cooperatives and extensions of credit by electric cooperatives.

# Against

Original Reporting Date: 6/5/2017

Bill Text and History

### Senate Joint Resolution 54

Relating to: an advisory referendum on an amendment to the U.S. Constitution.

# r For

Original Reporting Date: 6/5/2017

Bill Text and History

# **Budget Bill Subjects**

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to

**Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection** 

Original Reporting Date: 4/25/2017

Comments



Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to

Public Instruction: General School Aids and Revenue Limits

Original Reporting Date: 4/25/2017

Comments (



Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to

**Public Service Commission** 

Original Reporting Date: 4/25/2017 Comments (

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to

**Transportation: Transportation Finance** 

Original Reporting Date: 4/25/2017



# **Administrative Rulemaking Proceedings**

Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection (ATCP) **Livestock facility siting** 

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Undisclosed
Original Reporting Date:
6/13/2017

# **Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number**

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to clarifying inspection and processing rules for rabbits.

Action Intended To Affect: Both Legislative matter and rule

Reporting Date: 6/13/2017

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to

support for strengthening Wisconsin's anti-corporate farming laws.

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative matter

Reporting Date: 6/13/2017

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to

support for LRB-3142, adding baked goods to Wisconsin's cottage food law.

Action Intended To Affect: Both Legislative matter and rule

Reporting Date: 4/25/2017

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to

Wisconsin Farmers Union supports LRB-176 and LRB-1138, resolutions that would create a statewide referendum asking voters if they support putting limits on corporate campaign contributions.

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative matter

Reporting Date: 4/25/2017

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to

Wisconsin Farmers Union supports establishing a veterans farmer assistance and outreach program and creating a veterans farmer logo.

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative matter

Reporting Date: 4/25/2017

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to

avenues to assist farmers whose contracts were cancelled by Grassland.

Action Intended To Affect: Both Legislative matter and rule

Reporting Date: 4/17/2017

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to

Wisconsin Farmers Union supports LRB-0840: Industrial hemp, granting rule-making authority, and making a appropriation.

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative matter

Reporting Date: 3/1/2017

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to

Industrial Hemp Wisconsin Farmers Union supports: LRB-1117 & LRB-2273 Industrial Hemp - Growing and processing industrial hemp, granting rule-making authority, and

making an appropriation.

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative matter

Reporting Date: 2/24/2017

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to

support for student loan forgiveness for beginning farmers

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative matter

Reporting Date: 2/20/2017

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to

driver cards for immigrant workers

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative matter

Reporting Date: 2/15/2017

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to

supporting funding for a Farm to School position in the state budget.

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative matter

Reporting Date: 2/15/2017

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to

regulation of Cottage Foods

Action Intended To Affect: Both Legislative matter and rule

Reporting Date: 2/2/2017

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to permitting and regulation of high-capacity wells

Action Intended To Affect: Both Legislative matter and rule

Reporting Date: 2/2/2017

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to

ATCP 55, relating to meat processing. WFU is concerned about the effect that rule changes will have on rabbit producers.

Action Intended To Affect: Both Legislative matter and rule

Reporting Date: 2/2/2017

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to

opposing inclusion of central ag lien filing provision in the 2017-2019 state budget

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative matter

Reporting Date: 2/2/2017

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to

support accepting federal Medicaid dollars in the 2017-2019 budget to offset the state's expenditures on Medicaid

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative matter

Reporting Date: 2/2/2017

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to

support adequate funding for rural roads in the 2017-2019 state budget

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative matter

Reporting Date: 2/2/2017

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to

support adequate funding for rural schools in the 2017-2019 state budget

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative matter

Reporting Date: 2/2/2017

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to

support adequate funding for rural high-speed internet in the 2017-2019 state budget

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative matter

Reporting Date: 2/2/2017

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to

Use of PSC Focus on Energy funds to support broadband-related energy efficiency

projects

Action Intended To Affect: Rule (by a state agency)

Reporting Date: 2/2/2017